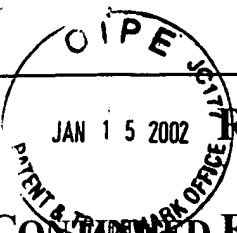


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**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

BOX RCE
Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provides for continued examination of an utility or
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	09/615,705
Confirmation Number	Not Yet Assigned
Filing Date	July 13, 2000
First Named Inventor	Yoko HORIGUCHI
Group Art Unit	2811
Examiner Name	O. Nadav
Matter Number	Q60098
Title	SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
 - i. ☒ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Previously filed
on November 15, 2001
 - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 - iii. ☐ Other _____

- b. ☒ Enclosed

i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply	01/18/2002 GTEFFERA 00000038 09615705
ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)	01 FC:179 740.00 OP
iii. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)	02 FC:103 396.00 OP
iv. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petition for Extension of Time	03 FC:102 168.00 OP
v. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Excess Claims Fee Payment Letter</u>	04 FC:104 280.00 OP

2. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a
period of _____ Months
- b. ☐ Other _____

3. FEES

A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$740.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY

Name Paul J. Wilson Registration No. 45,879
Signature *Paul J. Wilson* Date January 15, 2002

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